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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

**Jürgen SCHULZ-HARDER**

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Group Art Unit: **3726**

Examiner: **Ryan J. Walters**

Confirmation No: **8806**

For : **METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING PLATE  
STACKS, PARTICULARLY COOLERS OR  
COOLER ELEMENTS CONSISTING OF  
PLATE STACKS**

**AMENDMENT A**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 29, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows: